

Initial Nucleon Structure Results with Chiral Quarks at the Physical Point

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- Techniques: CG deflation, All-Mode Averaging
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Dynamical Möbius (DW) Fermions

- RBC/UKQCD-generated ensemble :

$$a \approx 0.113 \text{ fm} = (1.75 \text{ GeV})^{-1} \quad 48^3 \times 96 = (5.4 \text{ fm})^3 \times 10.8 \text{ fm}, \quad m_\pi L_x \approx 3.84$$

- 2+1 dynamical Möbius fermions [R.Brower et al, hep-lat/0409118] $L_5 = 24$

Deflation: $M_{\text{eopc}}^\dagger M_{\text{eopc}}$

- deflate between $m_{u,d}$ and m_s

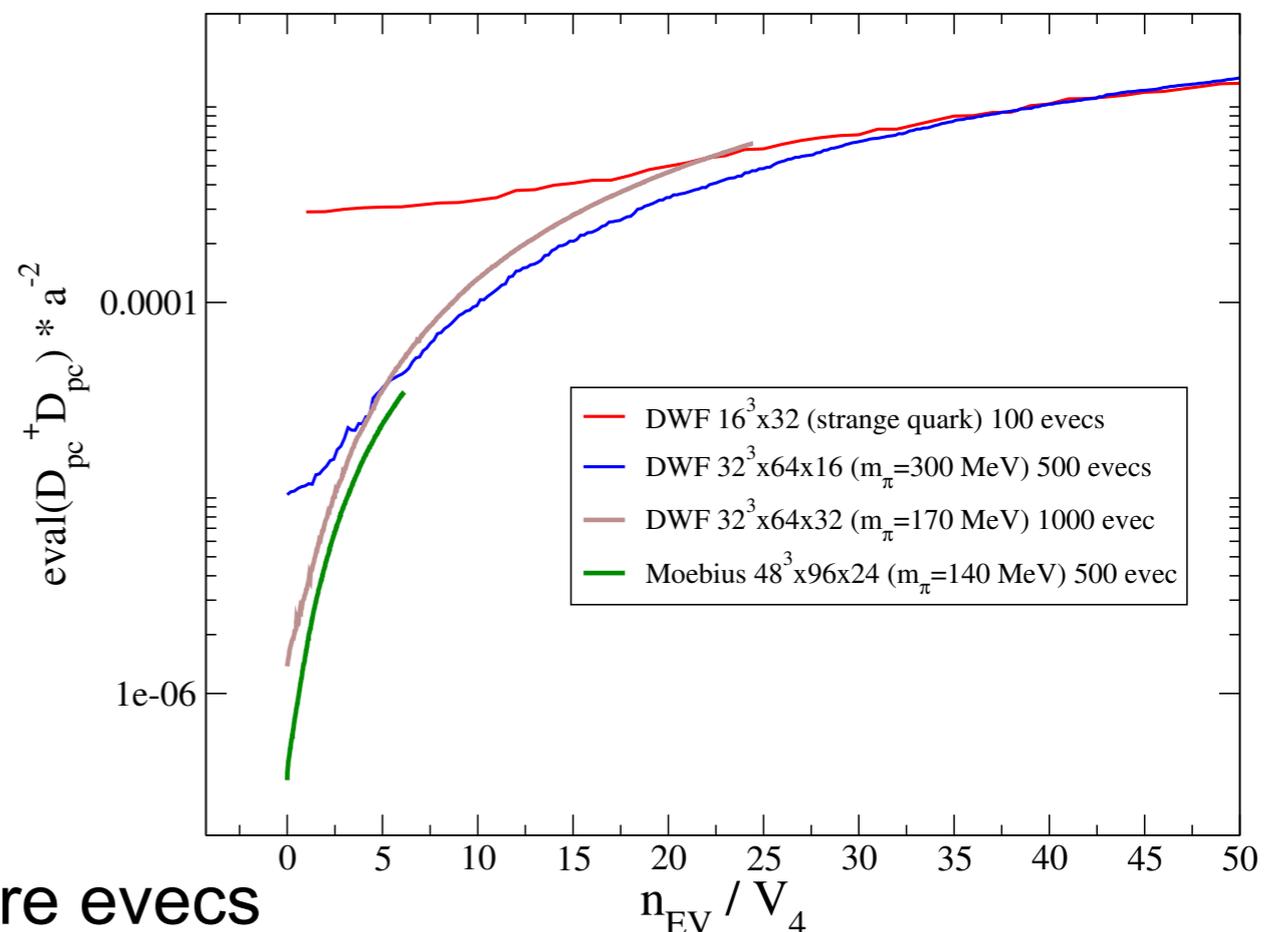
- PARPACK with n=200 poly.acc.

- condition number x 1/100,

CG convergence speed x10

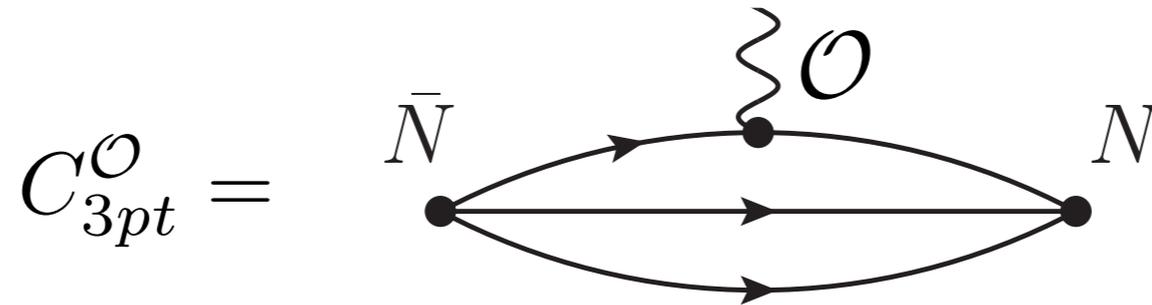
- 1 evec=11.39GB; 500 evecs=5.7TB

- Limited by memory & IO; want x3 more evecs



Nucleon Matrix Elements

- Only connected quark contractions



- Matrix elements from C_{3pt}/C_{2pt} ratio

$$R_{\mathcal{O}}(T, \tau; P, P') = \frac{C_{\mathcal{O}}(T, \tau; P, P')}{\sqrt{C_{2pt}(T, P)C_{2pt}(T, P')}} \cdot \sqrt{\frac{C_{2pt}(T - \tau, P)C_{2pt}(\tau, P')}{C_{2pt}(T - \tau, P')C_{2pt}(\tau, P)}}$$

$$\xrightarrow{T, \tau, (T - \tau) \rightarrow \infty} \langle P' | \mathcal{O} | P \rangle$$

- Employ summation method to “demote” transitional

excited state contributions $\mathcal{O}(e^{-\Delta E \cdot \frac{T}{2}}) \longrightarrow \mathcal{O}(e^{-\Delta E \cdot T})$

$$\sum_{\tau}^T R_{\mathcal{O}}(T, \tau) = \langle P' | \mathcal{O} | P \rangle \cdot T + \mathcal{O}(e^{-\Delta E \cdot T})$$

Improved Stoch.Estimation: All-Mode Averaging

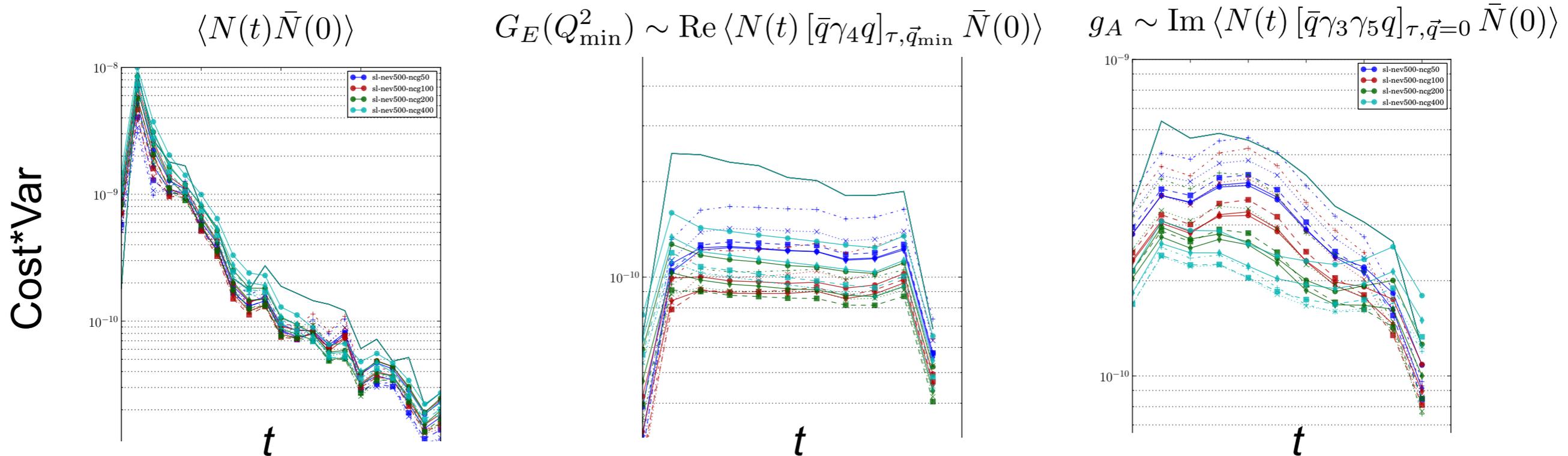
- All-mode averaging [T.Blum et al, PRD88:094503 (arXiv:1208.4349)] :

$$\langle \mathcal{O} \rangle_{\text{imp}} = \langle \mathcal{O}_{\text{approx}} \rangle_{N_{\text{approx}}} + \langle (\mathcal{O}_{\text{exact}} - \mathcal{O}_{\text{approx}}) \rangle_{N_{\text{exact}}}$$

$$(\delta \mathcal{O}_{\text{imp}})^2 \sim \frac{1}{N_{\text{approx}}} \text{Var}\{\mathcal{O}_{\text{approx}}\} + \frac{1}{N_{\text{exact}}} \text{Var}\{\underbrace{(\mathcal{O}_{\text{exact}} - \mathcal{O}_{\text{approx}})}_{\text{bias } \Delta \mathcal{O}}\} \quad (*)$$

- Tune approximation (n^{CG}) and ($N_{\text{approx}}/N_{\text{exact}}$) for optimal cost

$$\text{Cost}_{\text{imp}} \cdot (\delta \mathcal{O}_{\text{imp}})^2 \sim \left(1 + \frac{n_{\text{approx}}^{\text{CG}}}{n_{\text{exact}}^{\text{CG}}} \cdot \frac{N_{\text{approx}}}{N_{\text{exact}}}\right) \cdot \left[\text{Var}\{\Delta \mathcal{O}\} + \frac{N_{\text{exact}}}{N_{\text{approx}}} \text{Var}\{\mathcal{O}_{\text{approx}}\}\right]$$

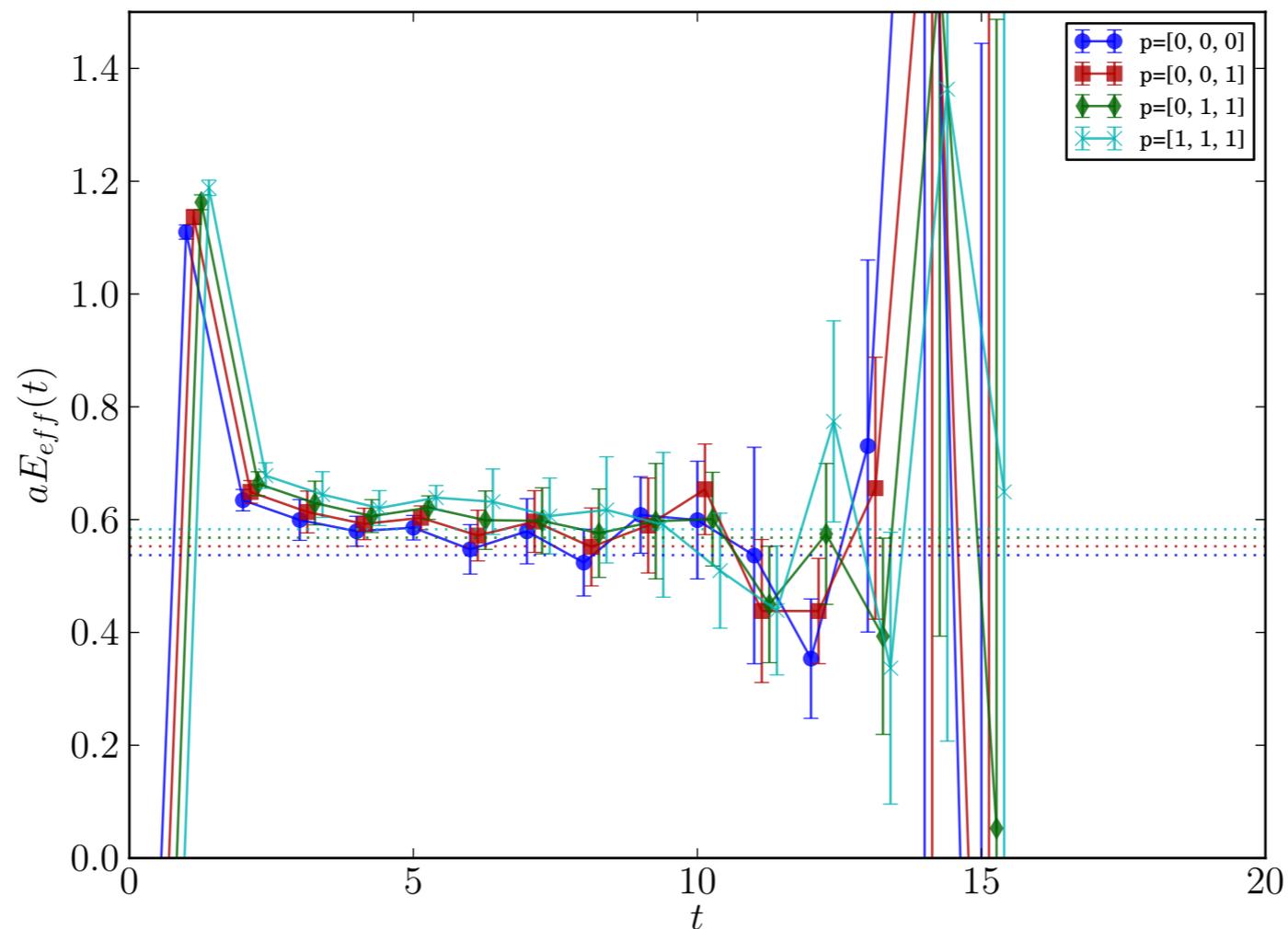


- select $n^{\text{CG}}=400$, $N_{\text{approx}}/N_{\text{exact}}=32$; x2.5 - x3 noise reduction

Initial Results: Effective Mass

- 10 gauge configs, spaced to span 1/2 of the ensemble
- 320 approx(“sloppy”) samples, 10 exact (bias) samples
- Gaussian quarks source tuned to approximate nucleon ground state

$$aE_{\text{eff}}(t) = \left\langle \log \frac{C_{2\text{pt}}(t)}{C_{2\text{pt}}(t+1)} \right\rangle$$



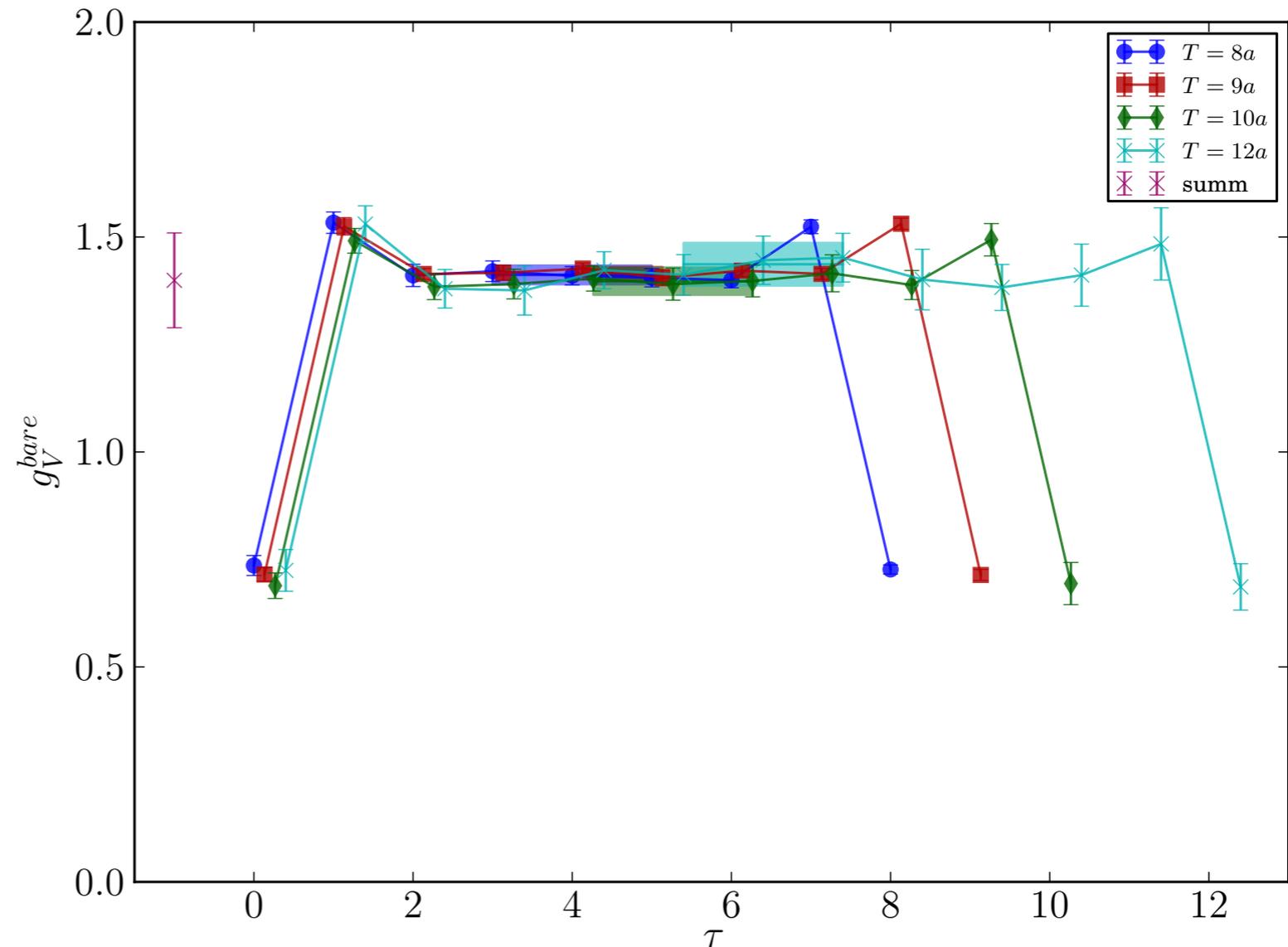
Vector Charge g_V

- Source-Sink separations $T=8a, 9a, 10a, 12a$
- Employ summation method to “demote” transitional excited states

$$\mathcal{O}(e^{-\Delta E \cdot \frac{T}{2}}) \longrightarrow \mathcal{O}(e^{-\Delta E \cdot T})$$

Isovector ($u-d$)
vector charge

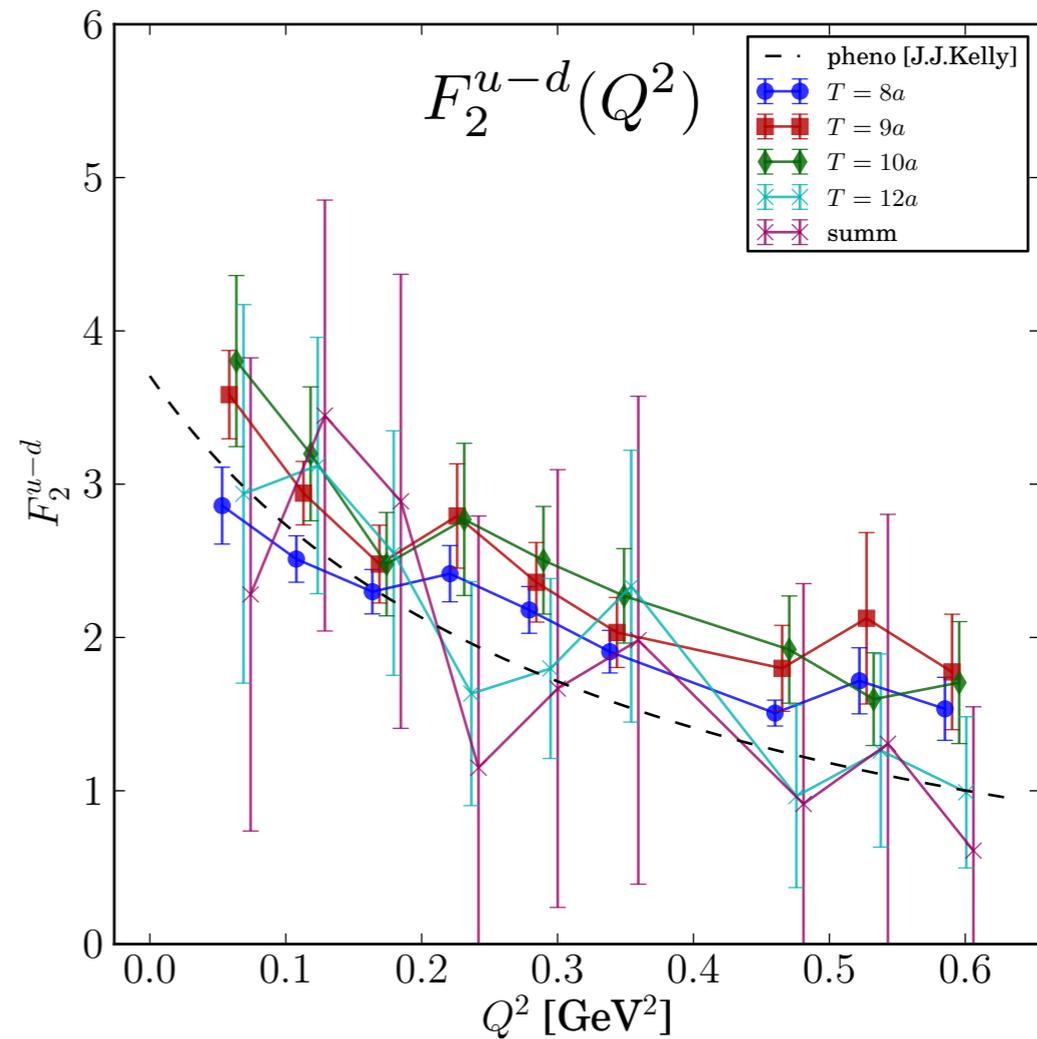
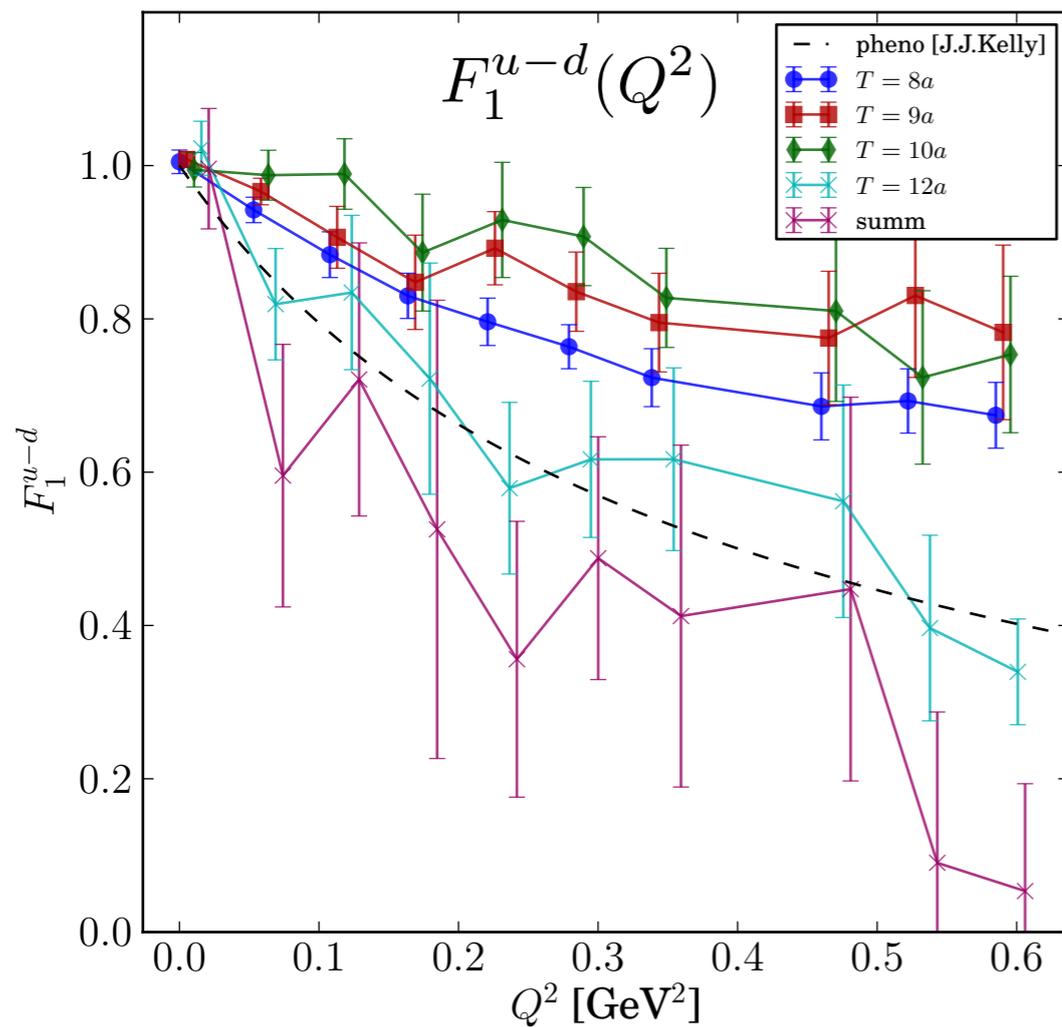
$$g_V^{\text{bare}} = \langle N | \int d^3x \bar{q} \gamma_4 q | N \rangle$$



Vector (u-d) Form Factors $F_{1,2}$

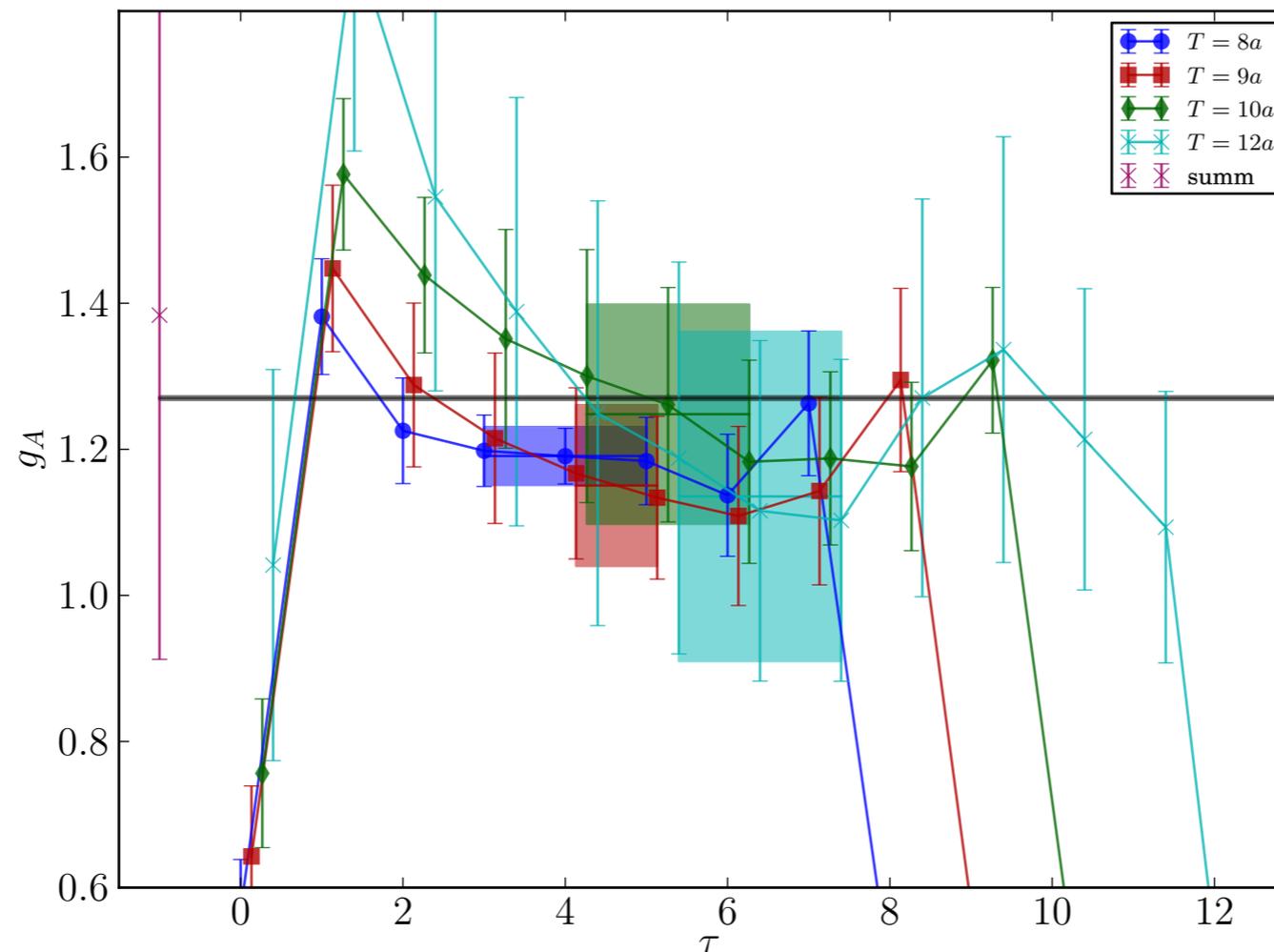
- Comparison to phenomenology [J.J.Kelly, PRC70:068202 (2004)]

$$\langle P + q | \bar{q} \gamma^\mu q | P \rangle = \bar{U}_{P+q} \left[F_1(Q^2) \gamma^\mu + F_2(Q^2) \frac{i\sigma^{\mu\nu} q_\nu}{2M_N} \right] U_P$$



Axial Charge g_A

$$\langle N(p) | \bar{q} \gamma^\mu \gamma^5 q | N(p) \rangle = g_A \bar{u}_p \gamma^\mu \gamma^5 u_p,$$

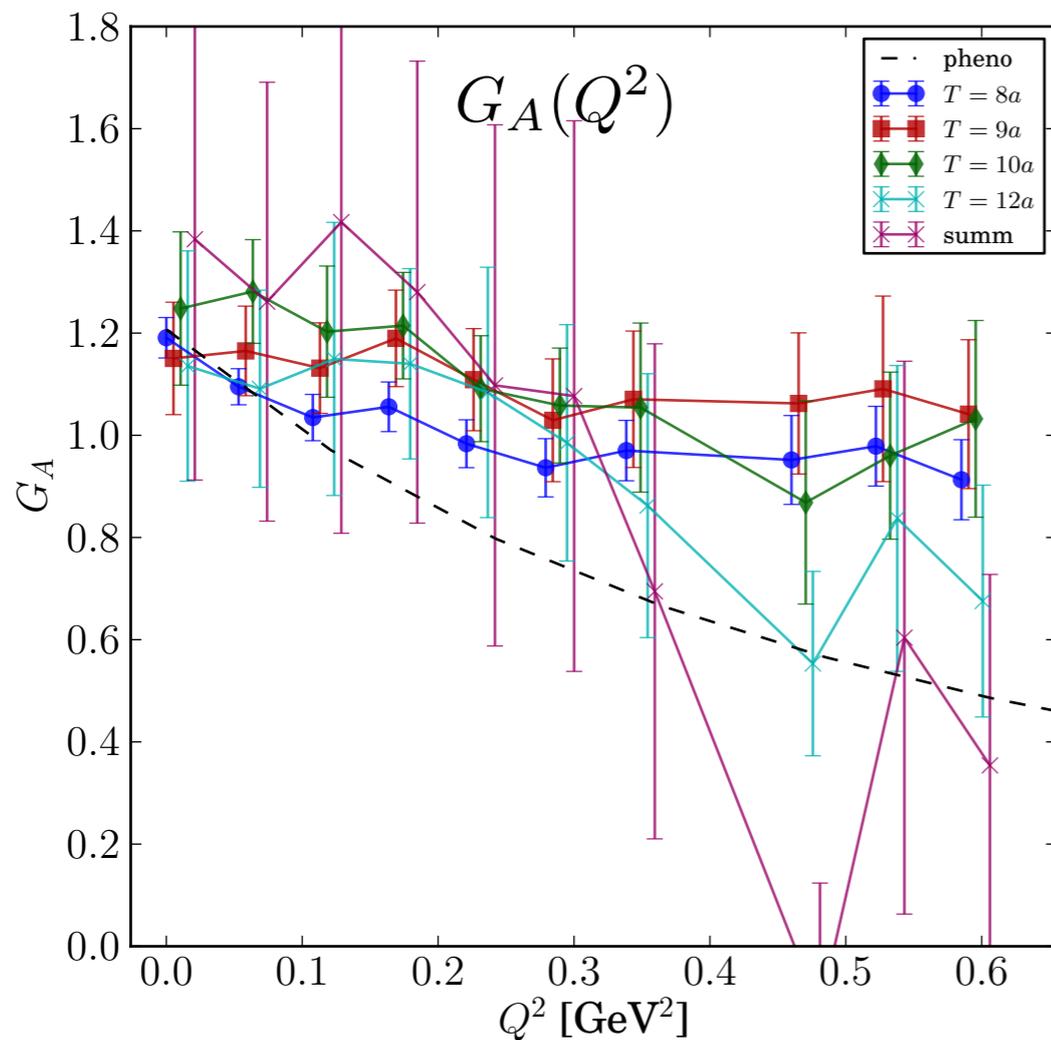


● No excited state contribution seen (yet)

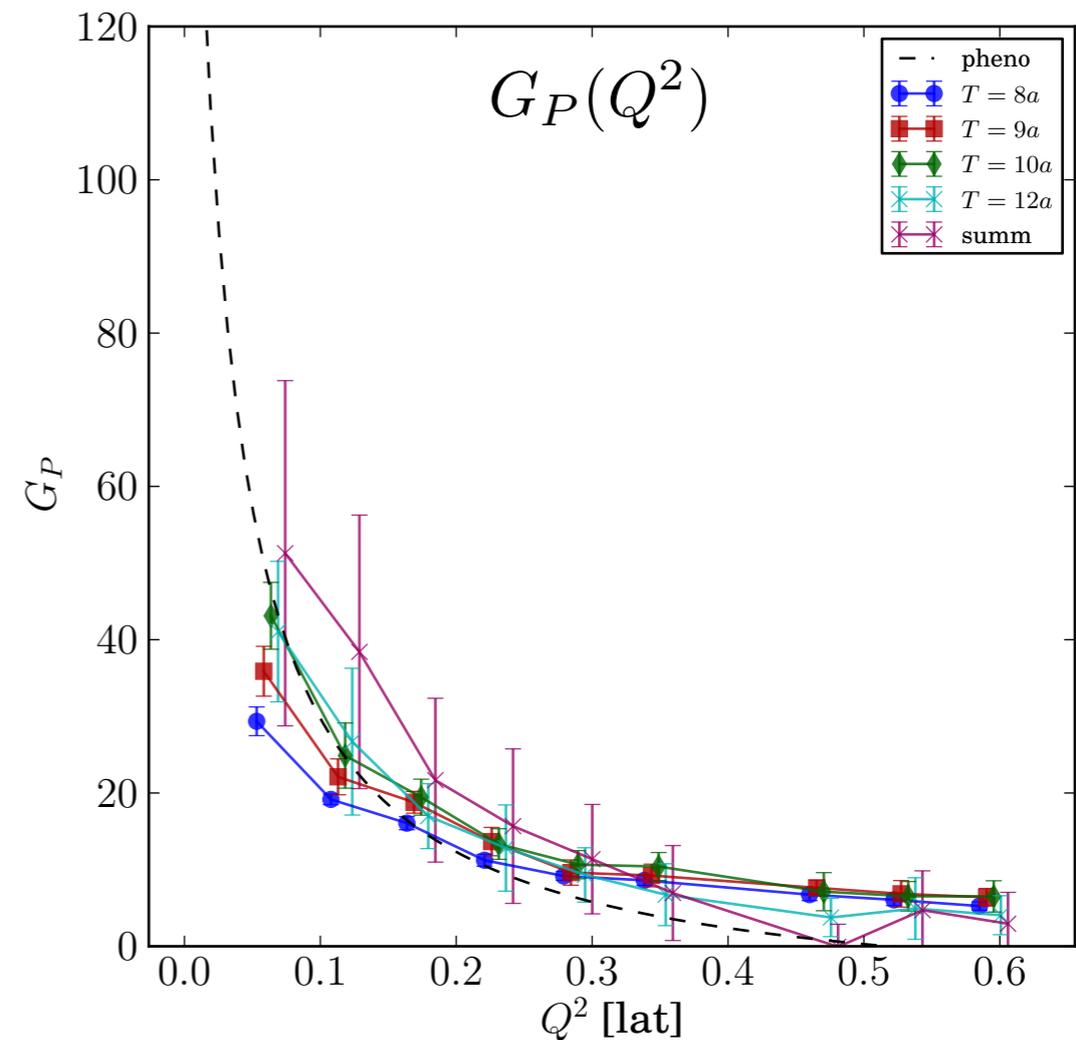
Axial Form Factors

- Experiments with electroweak probes:
 ν scattering, π^\pm production, e^- & μ^- capture

$$\langle P + q | \bar{q} \gamma^\mu \gamma^5 q | P \rangle = \bar{U}_{P+q} \left[G_A(Q^2) \gamma^\mu \gamma^5 + G_P(Q^2) \frac{\gamma^5 q^\mu}{2M_N} \right] U_P$$



$$G_A(Q^2) = \frac{g_A}{\left(1 + \frac{Q^2}{M_A^2}\right)^2}$$



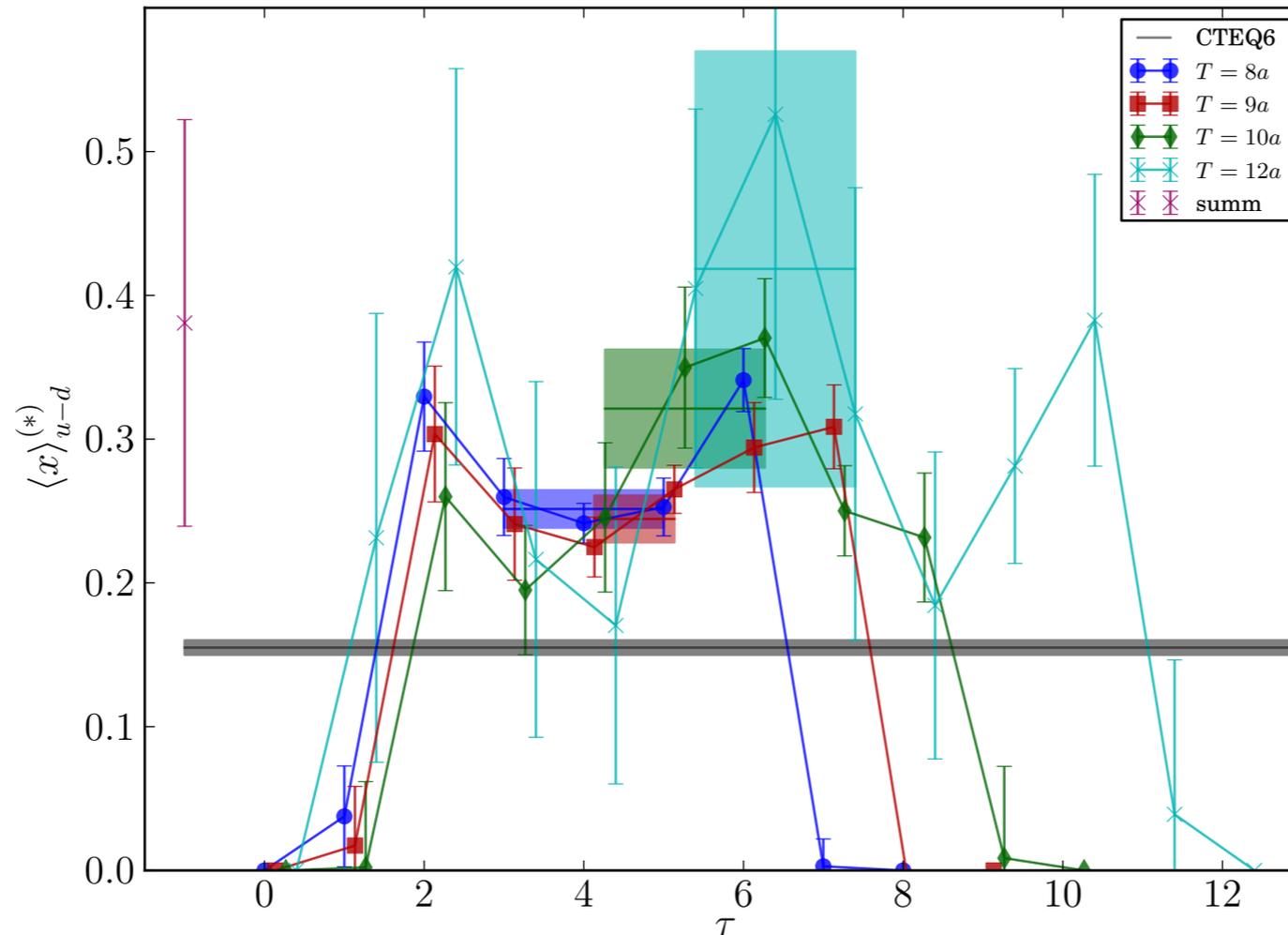
$$G_P(Q^2) = \frac{4M_N g_{\pi N} F_\pi}{m_\pi^2 + Q^2} - \frac{2}{3} g_A M_N^2 \langle r_A^2 \rangle$$

Quark Momentum Fraction

$$\langle x \rangle_{u-d} = \int dx x (u(x) + \bar{u}(x) - d(x) - \bar{d}(x))$$

Phenomenology: $\langle x \rangle_{u-d}^{\overline{MS}(2 \text{ GeV})} = 0.155(5)$

$$\langle N(p) | \bar{q} \gamma_{\{\mu} \overleftrightarrow{D}_{\nu\}} q | p \rangle = \langle x \rangle_q \bar{u}_p \gamma_{\{\mu} p_{\nu\}} u_p$$



● (*) renormalization from 24^3 lattice with the same action & lattice spacing

Summary & Outlook

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- Initial results ($\sim 1/4$ th - $1/6$ th of statistics) with chiral quarks at the physical point
- Promising results for vector, axial vector form factors
- Excited states clearly present in G_P

Outlook

- Increase statistics x6 in 2014-2015
- Improve exc.state analysis once statistics is sufficient for reliable fits
- Explore other approximations, e.g Möbius with shortened L5
- Disconnected diagrams with hierarchical probing (S.Meinel)